

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2881**

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CENTRAL FAX CENTERIn re PATENT APPLICATION of:  
FRANKEN et al.

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Application No.: 10/615,421

Group Art Unit: 2881

Filed: July 9, 2003

Examiner: Fernandez, Kalimah

Title: LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In further reply to the Office Action dated May 18, 2005, the period for reply being extended by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please further amend the above-identified application as follows:

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